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Chief, ICAPS

11 October 1949

AD/OSI

Proposed Revision of NSCID No. 1

1. In response to your memorandum of 30 September 1949, submitted herewith is a proposed National Security Council directive for the Central Intelligence Agency.

2. This directive would replace all existing NSCIDs, and is the logical development of the recommendations in the AD/OSI's memorandum to the Director of Central Intelligence of 29 September 1949, subject, "Inability of OSI to Accomplish Its Mission."

3. The proposed directive is in accord with the principle that the National Security Act of 1947, as amended, and the National Security Council, place in CIA responsibility and authority to coordinate and guide all intelligence activities necessary to the national security. Subsequent actions to attain the objects of the directive are the responsibility of the Director of Central Intelligence.

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